IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
APPELLATE SIDE
Criminal Application No.101 of 2007

Mr.Vinay Ashwini Juneja Applicant
Vs.
State of Maharashtra Respondent

Mr.S.P.Thorat with Mr.S.S.Thombare for applicant.
Mr.U.V.Nikam, APP for State.

CORAM: B.H.MARLAPALLE,J.

January 24, 2007.

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. This application was heard on 18/1/2007 and some time was granted to the I.O. for completing the investigation more so when admittedly the applicant was taken in custody on 22/12/2006 and the FIR was registered on the same day. As per the report dated 24/1/2007 received by the learned APP, the I.O. has recorded the statements of seven more witnesses and the I.O. present in the Court states that the investigation would be completed within one week from today.

. Having regards to the nature of the incident i.e. surprise checking of the premix material in the dumpers that were engaged by the applicant for construction of road on the contract being awarded by the Pune Municipal Corporation, there is no reason

for the applicant being retained in custody on the investigation being completed.

. Hence the application is allowed and it is directed that the applicant be released on bail on 1st February 2007 on furnishing PR bond in the sum of Rs.10,000/- with one solvent surety in the like amount. In case the investigation is not completed by 31st January, 2007, the applicant shall be available for investigation as and when called upon by the police even after his release on bail.

(B.H.MARLAPALLE,J.)